



# Forest & Rivers

## Open Studios Art Trail

1st-9th July



## Route Guides

have been designed to help you map out your journey to visit studios within close proximity to each other and include nearby places to collect your brochure & pause for refreshments

*Look for these signs at each location!*



Please check opening days and times in the brochure for each studio you're intending on visiting as these vary between artists. Please also check for planned road closures.

Sign up for live events, updates and artist info via our website.

**Group Exhibitions** held at Dean Heritage Centre in Soudley & The Secret Gallery in Newent

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# farOpen Art Trail 2023

## A. Llanishen to Brockweir

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- 30 GemmaKateWood

## B. Hewelsfield to Coleford

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- 49 MadebyMoDecor
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## C. Lydney to Alvington

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- 53 Derek A. Lamb Ceramics
- Maz Balaam Ceramics
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- 40 Jo Snowdon Stained Glass
- 60 Refunked & Fabulous
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- Sara Rickard
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- Steve Zimmerman
- Marilyn Parr
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- 38 Jeanette Hannaby
- 55 MissFire
- 27 Forest Innovations
- Harriet Hughes
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- 23 DelARTful Designs by Sarah Delahoy
- 50 Mariette Voke
- 15 Black Cat Glass Designs
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- Jan Matthews
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- Myra Fricker
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- Yvonne Feather
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This diverse group of artists are well worth making a day trip for but you may need to allow a little time to navigate between the studios as they are somewhat spread across the region.

However you'll be travelling through one of the most captivating landscapes of the Wye Valley from the rolling Llanishen landscape across to Redbrook and Tintern with plenty of tea rooms, pubs and natural beauty spots to enjoy along the way.

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

The Carpenter's Arms Llanishen, Llanishen Garage, The Lion Inn Trellech, Trellech Grange, The Fountain in Trellech, Brockweir & Hewelsfield Village Shop, The Bush and The Boat Penallt, Sculpture Garden, Kingstone Brewery, Tintern Old Station, The Boathouse Gallery Tintern, Hewelsfield & Brockweir Village Shop, Abbey Mill Cafe Stop Tintern, The Slip Pub in Llandogo and Redbrook Post Office.



Ali Edgson



Sue Hilton



Gemma Kate Wood



Paula Brady



Philip Stockley



Mary Edwards



Sheila Tweed



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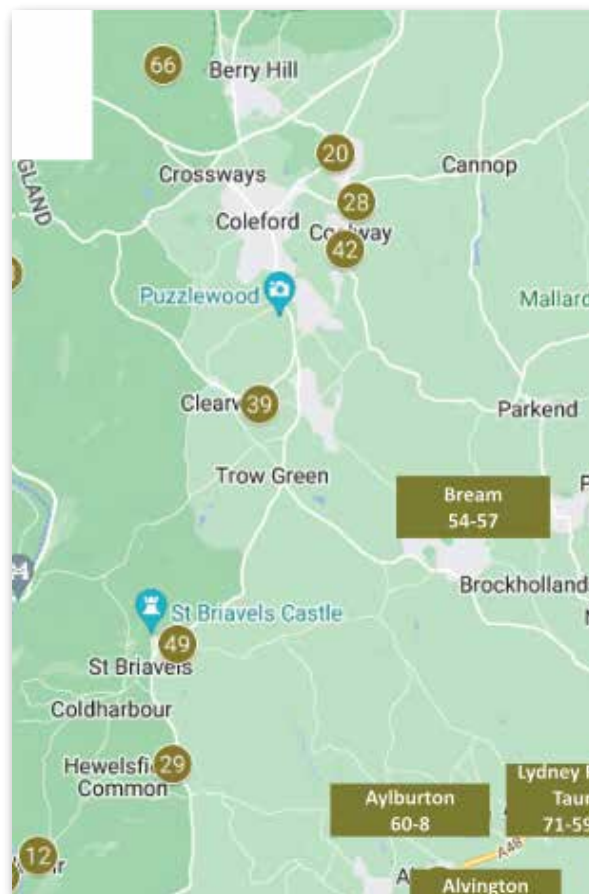
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This area is so verdant & lush at this time of year that I'm sure you'll enjoy the drive as much as the artists you'll be visiting! This route has three textile artists, three contemporary jewellers and an enamel artist who creates a variety of products all within close proximity to each other.

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

Hewelsfield & Brockweir Village Shop Cafe, The Pantry in St Briavels, St Briavels Assembly Rooms Cafe, Tudor Farmhouse Hotel, Bolters Cafe, Scoffs Cafe, The Art of Coffee in Coleford, Tintern Village Hall, St Briavels Pavilion



Friday Lawrence



Garden Shed Textiles



Chris Lewis



Sew Forest of Dean



Katie Sanderson



The Little Gallery in the Forest



Mo Parker

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Down along the River Severn we have an astounding variety of artists for you stretching from Lydney to Alvington, each providing something gorgeous, unique and different! We suggest you start with the two studios in Lydney then follow the A48 out stopping at all the studios along the way... or vice versa! They're all within striking distance of each other with lots of places to stop for refreshments.



Rachel Shilston

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

Hips Cafe Lydney, Daily Grind Lydney, Four Seasons Coffee Shop Bathurst Park, Taurus Crafts Cafe, The Globe Alvington, Swan House Tea Room, Blacksmiths Arms



Karen Barthram



Maz Balaam



Graham Wilde



Anna Fine Jewellery



Sara Rickard



Jo Sterrick Ceramics



James Saunders



Annie Brennan



Lisa Dear Artworks



Two Tinkers



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Jo Snowdon



Charlotte Keating



WMM Silver



Derek A. Lamb



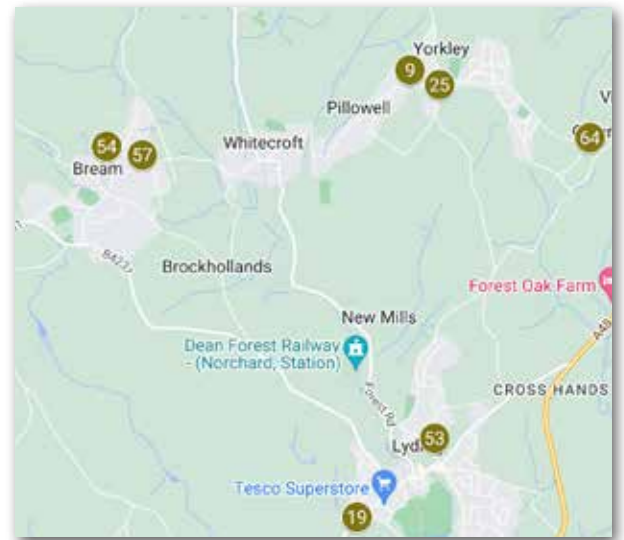
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There is a wonderful variety of artists along this route which meanders from two printmakers in Bream down the hill, up into Yorkley and along to Oldcroft with a group exhibition at High View which should not be missed! A very easy drive with studios I'm sure you're linger in!

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

Parkend Post Office & Coffee Shop, Parkend Forest Cycles, Bream Coffee Shop, Yorkley Community Centre, Highview



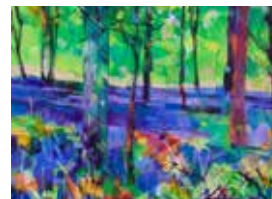
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Dilys Fisher



Dorota Rapacz



Doug Eaton



Earth Tones



Elizabeth Heather Engel



Janet Poole



Jo Rockley



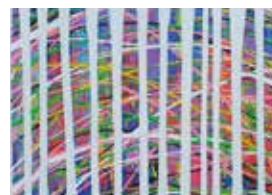
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Antony Dufort

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This route starts with two artists showing in Awre and Bullo Pill before taking you along the River Severn to the thriving historical village of Newnham where 11 artists can be found. Whilst some are co-exhibiting, others are welcoming you into their studio and retail space. From there nip up to Studio 33 before whizzing along the A48 to Westbury on Severn where you'll reach the last studio on this guide. With such diversity of disciplines, you'll be sure to find something you love!

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

Shop@The Ship in Newnham, The Silver Fox Cafe at Broadoak, White Hart at Broadoak, The Apple Orchard Campsite, The Lyon Inn, Severn and Wye Smokery, Over Farm



Marilyn Parr



Wooden Heart Design



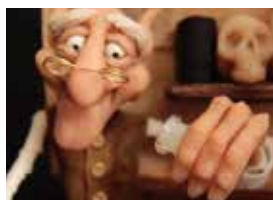
Watercolours by Penni



TKB Press



Steve Zimmerman



Imps and things



Blantons Designs



Carolyn Black



Grange Village Pottery



Annabel Williams



Jess Rayson Designs



Sara Ulyatt



Niki Kent



Sharon Harvey



Thomas Penny



# farOpen Summer Group Show at the Dean Heritage Centre, Soudley

Enjoy a gentle walk around Soudley ponds before taking in the art & refreshments at the Dean Heritage Museum Cafe overlooking the quiet ponds. Open between the **24th June - 9th July**, the Dean Heritage Museum will be hosting the Forest & Rivers Open Studio Art Trail **Group Exhibition (Venue 24)** showcasing 28 farOpen artists. Offering a preview & taster of what's available on the Art Trail, the group show is carefully curated to exhibit a wonderful mix of paintings, sculpture, textiles, enamel, printmaking, furniture, photography, ceramics, glass and jewellery. **Open Daily 11- 3pm.**



## Exhibiting artists

Catherine Hawkrigde, Charlotte Keating, Lisa Dear Artworks, Uschi Arens Price, Christine Waygood, Deborah Phelps Gane, Dirk Van Der Meyden, Dorota Rapacz, Gina Nell, Grahame Morgan-Watson, Helen Crawford, Jane Spray, Jane Jones, Jane Simmonds, Jeanette Hannaby, Jennie Blunt, Joanne Callaghan, Kate Baugh, Laura Liddell, Lynne Allnatt, Maz Balaam, Nicky Kent, Nicole Iredale, Pamela Moolman, Sara Ulyatt, Delartful Designs, Su Griffin, Bara Creative Studio



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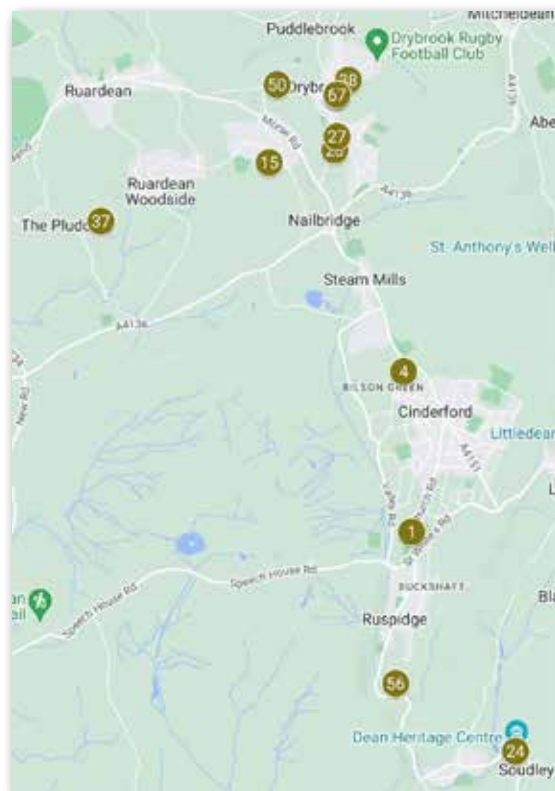
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## F. Soudley to Drybrook

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Starting from the Dean Heritage Group Exhibition in Soudley (24), this route then takes in studios 56, 1 & 4 before reaching Drybrook which boasts quite the creative hive of artists all within close proximity to each other! From there it's a quick easy drive to see Studio 37 at The Pludds. With such a breadth of disciplines from so many artists, you may wish to extend your visit here across a couple of days to ensure you see them all!



Jane Spray



Lizzie Godden

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

The Inn on the Wye, Cinderford Artspace, Dean Heritage Centre Cafe, Woodlands Coffee House at Greenways Campsite, Drybrook

Hearts of Oak Pub



Black Cat Glass



Jane Jones



Harriet Hughes



Forest Innovations



The Yard Print Studio



Mariette Voke



Miss Fire



Jeanette Hannaby



DelARTful Designs



Byefield Emporium



Andrew Niblett



Abstractsion



Sharon Foley



Mollie Meager



Pam Moolman

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## G. Lydbrook to Whitchurch

*Art Studios 22,46,32,47*



22 Deborah Phelps-Gane, 46 Love the Lampshade, 32 Grahame Morgan Watson, Serena Robinson Crochet, Sally Anne Tottle, 47 Lynne Littler Sculpture

This picturesque route takes you through Lydbrook, along the sweeping River Wye and over to Whitchurch passing Goodrich castle. Whilst these artists may be a little spread apart, they are all very different from each other and each well worth a visit! Plus the drive is very pleasurable with some gorgeous spots for lunch or tea en route. Do say hello to Deborah Phelps-Gane who has the honour this year of being featured on the brochure front cover with a striking abstract landscape!

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

Lydbrook Central Store & Post Office, Forge Hammer Pub Lydbrook, The Inn on the Wye, Bishops Wood Hall, Hen and Dot Cafe at Flanesford Priory, The Hostelry Goodrich, Woods of Whitchurch, Norton House B&B and Coffee Shop in Whitchurch



Deborah Phelps-Gane



Love the Lampshade



Lynne Littler Sculpture



Grahame Morgan-Watson



Serena Robinson Crochet



Sally Tottle



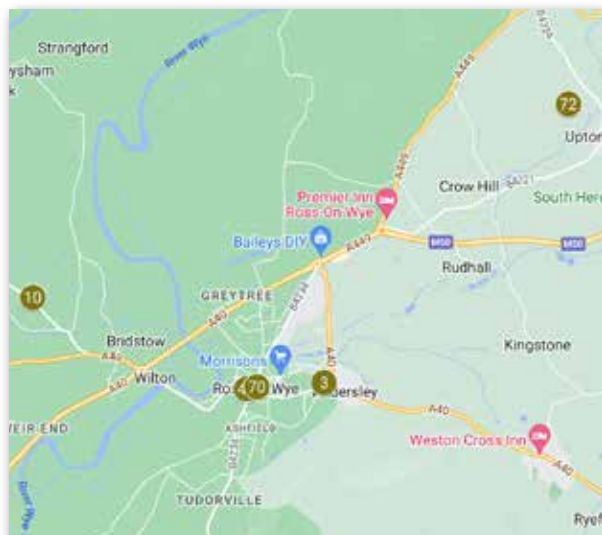
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## H. Ross to Upton Bishop

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Route H takes you for a gentle tour around Ross-on-Wye area. Made in Ross and Wobage Maker's Gallery both showcase a collective of artists across a variety of disciplines from skilled craftsmen & artists. Urchins is a new gallery in central Ross established by two artists Tara Slater & Julie Cannon of Watercolour Puddles; Ali Tregaskes is new to the trail with her stunning textural jewellery and Kathy Priddis is a popular studio for pottery & paintings.



Wobage Jeremy Steward



Watercolour Puddles



Susan White



Louise Pilditch



Wobage Lynn Hodgson



Jan Matthews



Wobage Ben Casson



Kathy Priddis



Wobage Petra Steward



Ali Tregaskes



Chris Champness



Rosie Callinan



Wobage Patia Davis



Jackie Poulter



Frances Warren



Lisa Coles



Wobage Clyde Hoare



Nigel Street



Eleanor Kercher



Sarah Freer



Steve Freer



Tara Slater

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

No 3, The Kings Head in Ross, The Moody Cow in Upton Bishop, Thorns

Coffee Lounge, Garden Store Ross on Wye, Hellens Manor Much Marcle



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## I. Gloucester to Tibberton

*Art Studios 21, 13, 44, 41*



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Route I meanders from Gloucester to Tibberton via Minsterworth and Oakle St, taking in the exquisite works of Deborah Harrison's sculptures, Leigh Sladen's Glass, Sarah McHale & Joanne Callaghan's paintings. Whilst you may find yourself lingering in any one of these studios, you may wish to use this route to segway into Route J - taking in Newent studios and the farOpen Summer Group Exhibit at The Secret Gallery in Newent or by visiting Tibberton's neighbouring vaillage of May Hill village where there are 10 artists in 3 venues within walking distance of each other open daily.

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

Severn and Wye Smokery, Over Farm



Deborah Harrison



Art@Oaktree Sarah McHale



Joanne Callaghan



Leigh Sladen



Deborah Harrison



Art@Oaktree Sarah McHale



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Leigh Sladen



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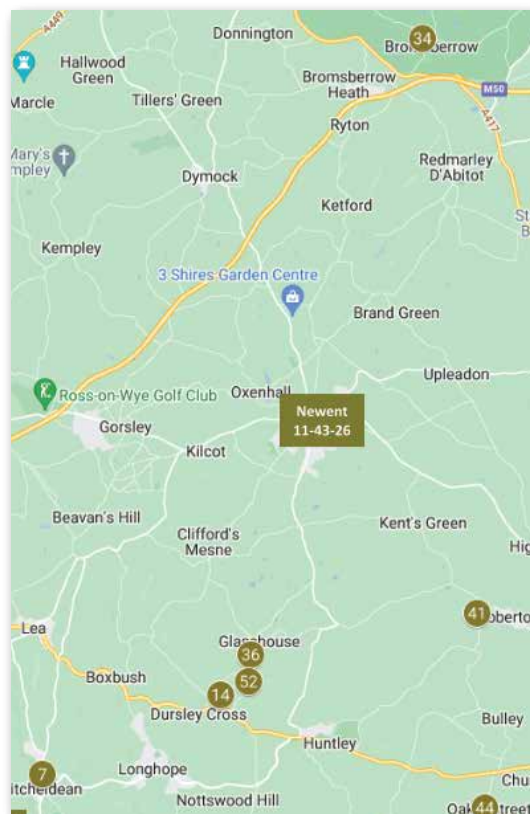
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## J. Bromsberrow, Newent, May Hill, Mitcheldean

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Running from the topmost Northern point of our trail, Route J encompasses studio 34 in Bromsberrow with a quick drive to Newent before meandering through the pretty country lanes to May Hill and onto Mitcheldean. This route is abundant with a diversity of artists including a few newcomers to the trail plus the farOpen Group Show at The Secret Gallery in Newent which opens on June 28th showing a stunning range of artwork by 25 farOpen artists. Worth also noting that May Hill boasts 10 artists in 3 venues within walking distance of each other.

## Brochure Collection & Refreshments

Harts Barn craft centre, Leaf Creative, 3 Shires, Trioscape Garden Centre, May Hill Church, Fairview Gardener, Longhope Stores, Forest Bakehouse, The Shop at Bromesberrow, Erols, Runcible Spoon, Buttery Tea Rooms, Three Choirs Vineyard Wine Shop & The Glasshouse



Kip Kavallares



Monique Oliver



Chris Champness



Helen Crawford



Kit Tyrrell



Anne Malliphant



Sandrina Gay



Elaine Fowke



Anne Bulley



Von Feathers



Jane Simmonds



Myra Fricker



Di Weissberg



Jane Foot



The Secret Gallery



# farOpen Summer Group Show at The Secret Gallery, Newent

Open between the **28th June - 15th July**, The Secret Gallery is nestled in the pretty market town of Newent and will be hosting the Forest & Rivers Open Studio Art Trail **Group Exhibition (Venue 26)** showcasing 28 farOpen artists exhibiting a mix of disciplines and art to buy. Offering a preview & taster of what's available on the Art Trail, the group show is carefully curated to exhibit a wonderful mix of paintings, sculpture, textiles, enamel, printmaking, furniture, photography, ceramics, glass and jewellery. **Open Weds-Sat 11- 5pm**



Venue 25 farOpen Art Trail,  
Summer Exhibition  
28th June - 15 July 2023  
The gallery will be open  
Wednesday - Saturday  
11am - 5pm

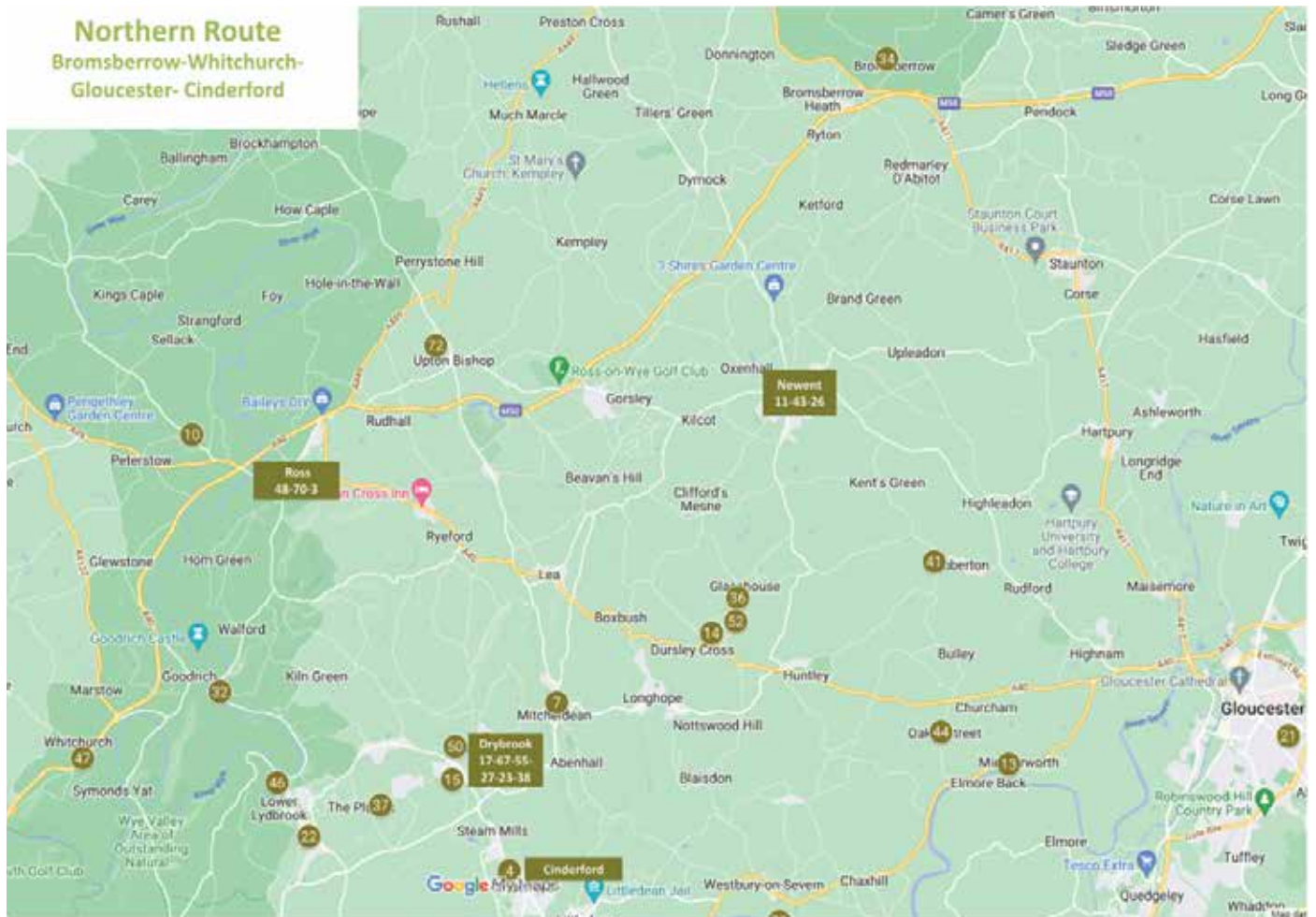


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## Northern Route Bromsberrow-Whitchurch- Gloucester- Cinderford



## Southern Route Cinderford-Llanishen-Alvington

